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G.O. No. 3961 P.H.,

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Dated 29-8-1940

[Despatch Abstract.]

Medical institutions - Rural - South Kanara District - Opening of a dispensary at Subramanya - To be deferred.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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Subject.

Medical relief - opening of an Ayurvedic Dispensary in Subramanya - South Kanara District - sanction requested.

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Ref.C. No.3160/39-A4.

Station MANGALORE. *Dated the* 3rd June, 1940 .

From (Name) Sri. K. Vittal Shetty,

(Designation) President, District Board, South Kanara

MANGALORE.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

E & P.H., Department.

MADRAS.

Sir,

Through

The Surgeon General with the Government of Madras.

In response to the repeated requests made by the council of Trustees of the Sri. Subramanya Temple in particular and by the villagers of Subramanya and the ten surrounding villages, the District Board has, in its resolution No. 67, dated 14-3-1940 (copy enclosed), sanctioned the opening of an Ayurvedic Dispensary for Subramanya centre.

2. In this District, Subramanya, like Udipi, is a very famous ancient place of pilgrimage attracting a large number of pilgrims from this district and several other districts also from the Mysore Province throughout the year particularly

during the annual Shasti festival held in November and December every year.

3. A few days preceding the festival, a big cattle fair is being organised for about 3 weeks in Kulgunda, a place about 2 miles from Subramanya at which 20000 heads of cattle are brought from the Mysore Province for sale. Both Subramanya and Kulgunda are highly malarial, they being situated at the foot of the western Ghauts in the midst of thick forests.

4. As it is, the people in these centres and the pilgrims who attend the festival and the fair & suffer kneely for want of proper medical relief. No regular or rural dispensaries exist within a radius of over twelve miles from these centres, the only nearest L. F. Dispensary being at Kadaba about 14 miles from Subramanya.

5.I have persuaded the Temple authorities and they have agreed to provide rent free a substantial building in the locality approved by the District Medical Officer. They have also promised to make to the District Board an annual contribution of Rs. 350/- towards the maintenance charges of the Dispensary and have paid to the District Board already a sum of Rs. (350/-) three hundred and fifty for 1940-41.

6. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Puttur, in his letter L.Dis. 2130/40, dated 15-5-40 received through the Collector (copy enclosed) strongly recommends the opening of an Ayurvedic Dispensary. The District Medical Officer, South Kanara, has inspected and approved of the site and the proposal-vide copy of his letter R.No. 1147-L.H/40, dated 5-4-40 enclosed.

7. The District Board has, in the Budget Estimate for 1940-41 provided Rs. (400/-) four hundred only from its funds towards the salary of the medical practitioner and the cost of medicines as shown below:--

(i) Salary of the Ayurvedic Medical Practitioner in question at Rs. 30/- (thirty) per month Rs. 360/-

(ii) Balance cost of medicines (in addition to Rs. 350/- contributed by the Temple authorities.	Rs. 10/-
(iii) Other contingencies	30/-
	400/-

8. I request, in the circumstances, that the Government may be pleased accord their sanction at a very early date for the opening of the Ayurvedic Rural Dispensary at Subramanya in the current Official year.

Mangalore, 3rd June, 1940. PRESIDENT.

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Extract from the proceedings of the meeting of the members of the South Kanara District Board, dated 14th March, 1940.

Members present.

1. Sri. K. Vittal Shetty, President, District Board, S.K.
2. Sri. A. Laxminarayana Rao, B.A., B.L., Vice President.
3. Sri. K. Venkappa Shetty.
4. Khan Bahadur, Mahammad Schamnad Saheb Bahadur, M.L.A.
5. Sri. M. R. Punja.
6. Sri. M. Dharmasamrajaya.
7. Sri. M. C. Fernades.
8. Sri. M. Shiva Rao.
9. Sri. N. K. Bhide.
10. Sri. M. Aithappa Rai.
11. Sri. Jathappa Rai.
12. Sri. A. Krishnaraya Kodgi.
13. Sri. B. Guddappa Rai.
14. Sri. B. Subbanna Shetty.
15. Sri. K. Sundara.
16. Sri. M. C. Nambiar.
17. Sri. P. Upendra Srinivas Nayak.
18. Sri. K. Manjunatha Shenoi.
19. Sri. Belanje Krishnaya Hegde.
20. Sri. B. Vaikunta Baliga, B.A., B.L.
21. Sri. N. M. Adyanthaya.
22. Sri. Balcutta Krishnaya Hegde.
23. Sri. B. T. Ariga Jaini.
24. Sri. F. P. S. Albuquerque.
25. Sri. Thyampanna alias Krishna Shetty.
26. Sri. M. Amrithakrishna Rao.
27. A. K. Sherule Saheb Bahadur.
28. Ch. Kunhi Kalandar Saheb Bahadur.
29. Srimathi Chandrabhagi Heggadthi.
30. Srimathi Sushila Bai.
31. Srimathi S. Saraswathi Bai.
32. Sri. B. Shivarama Shetty, B.A., B.L.
33. Syed Mir Hyder Saheb Bahadur.
34. Sri. U. Ramanna Rai.
35. Sri. K. R. Ballal.
36. Sri. U. Ramachandra.
37. Sri. T. Kumaraya Jaini.
38. A. Moosabba Saheb Bahadur, B.A., B.L.
39. Sri. M. Mahalinga Shetty.

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67. Read Resolution No. 48/15-2-1939 of the budget Committee declining to provide funds for the opening of a new rural dispensary at Subramania.

Also letter dated 20-3-39 from Sri. K. R. Achar, M.A., L.L.B. President Council of Trustees of Subramania temple stating that a dispensary is an urgent necessity to Subramania.

Also President's Ref. 3160/39/17-4-39 informing Sri. K. R. Achar that an allotment of Rs. (1170/-) One thousand one hundred and seventy only will be required for the mainterance of a rural dispensary and requesting him to furnish definite proposals with regard to the provision of funds and a building by the Temple authorities.

Also letter dated 2-1-40 of Sri. K. R. Achar, stating that the Council of Trustees has decided to contribute a sum of Rs. (350/-) Three hundred and fifty only and also decided to provide a building for the housing of the Dispensary.

Also Budget Commitee resolutinn No. 15/15-2-40 to the effect that provision is made in the Budget on the distinct condition that the temple provides a suitable building rent free and contributes annually Rs. (350/-) Three hundred and fifty only.

Resolution:--

(Budget) committee's recommendation is approved in resolution 15 of 15-2-1940.

Sd/ K. Vittal Shetty,
President.

/True extract/

President.

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L.Dis. C. No. 2180-40. Revenue Divl. Office, Puttur,
Camp: Pallikere, 15-5-40.

From

Sri. M. Varadrajulu Nayudu,
Revenue Divisional Officer, Puttur.

To

The President,
District Board, South Kanara,
M a n g a l o r e.

Through

The Collector of South Kanara,
M a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

Medical - Puttur Taluk - Subrahmanya - Dispensary - Opening - Proposals - opinion - offered.

Ref: Your Ref. C. No. 3160-39-A4, dated 21-3-1940.

Subrahmanya is an ancient place of pilgrimage. A number of pilgrims from this district and several other districts including Mysore state visit the place throughout the year. The congregatio is very large in the Shasti festival, which generally comes off in cold month - December. A few days before this festival a Cattle Fair is being held at Kulkunda, which is about two miles from Subrahmanya. This Fair, though of recent origin, is coming into prominence as this is one of the two Fairs held in this district. In spite of abundant rainfall, the cattle breeding in this district is very poor and all the good cattle come from Mysore State and Salem District. For this reason, the Fair at Kulkunda is likely to become very popular. Both Subrahmanya and Kulkunda are situated at the foot of the Western Ghauts and are surrounded by thick growth of forest. Though they present a picturesque appearance they are highly malarial. I have myself suffered from this disease when I visited the two places last year.

2. There are no hospitals or rural dispensaries within a radius of over 10 miles from these places. The only nearest Local Fund Dispensary is at Kadaba - a distance of 14 miles and it cannot be reached easily as there is no regular Motor bus service. The District Board deputes the doctor of this Dispensary to open a temporary Dispensary at Subrahmanya during the Shasti festival. But this provision for a short time is not enough, as the pilgrims visit the place throughout the year. I may add here that the stay

of this doctor even for this short period is sometimes disturbed on account of other urgent work elsewhere. As a matter of fact, during the last Shasti festival, this doctor had to go to Yēda-mangala - a distant village near Kadaba - to attend on an injured person suffering from grievous hurt and then advise him to go to Puttur, as he could not himself treat him on account of the festival. This is only one instance that came to my notice but I am sure there are several other difficulties by the deputation of this doctor to Subrahmanya. In these circumstances, I agree with the suggestion of the Council of Trustees of Kukke Śri. Subrahmanya Temple and I strongly recommend that a Rural Ayurvedic Dispensary should be opened at Subrahmanya.

Sd/ xxx xxx
Revenue Divisional Officer,

N.Dis. 3440/40.

Forwarded to the President, District Board, South Kanara.

Sd/ xxx xxx
For Collector.

/True copy/

PRESIDENT,
District Board. South Kanara.

R.No. 1147-L.H/40.

Office of the District Medical Officer,
South Kanara, Mangalore, 5th April, 40.

To

The President, District Board,
South Kanara, Mangalore.

Rural dispensary location at Subramanya--opinion furnished.

Your reference No. 3160/39-A4, dated the 21st March, 1940.

In compliance with your above request I went to Subramania on 4-4-40 and inspected the site selected for locating the Rural Ayurvedic Dispensary.

The site is about a furlong from the temple, fairly distant from the crowded area around the temple at times of festivals; and yet accessible to all the people. It is situated in a sanitary area with good elevation and close to the road. In my opinion the site is an ideal one for a Rural Dispensary.

Sd/ x x x
M.B.C.M.,
District Medical Officer,
Mangalore.

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President,
DISTRICT BOARD, SOUTH KANARA.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT. 20 JUN 1940

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Medical Institutions - Rural - South Kanara District - opening of an Ayurvedic Dispensary at Subramanya - sanction.

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R. No. 9714 Hospitals

Station Madras, *Dated the* 18th June 1940.

From (Name) Major-General N. M. Wilson, C. I. E., O. B. E., K. H. S., I. M. S.,
(Designation) Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department.

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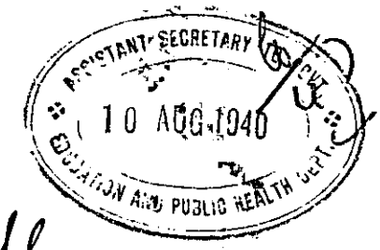
Ref:-Letter Ref. C.No.3160/39-A4 dated 3-6-40 with enclosures from the President, District Board, South Kanara.

Forwarded.

The views of the Principal, Indian Medical School, may kindly be obtained in the matter.

Personal Assistant
for Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

C.R.P/17-6-40



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Education & PH Dept

Memorandum No. 25095-1D2 MS dt 3.7.40

Referred to the Principal,
Indian Medical School for remarks.

M.T. Duraiswami Chetty
Assistant Secretary
to Govt

MP
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Government Indian Medical School,
Kilpauk, Madras.

Endorsement No. 19238.40.PL.1. 6.8.1940.

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Retransmitted.

2. The proposal of the South Kanara District Board to open a Rural Ayurvedic dispensary at Subramanya is recommended. The District Board may be advised to sanction a sum of not less than Rs.500/- per annum towards the payment of subsidy to the Rural Medical Practitioner to be appointed in the dispensary as provided for in G.O.No.2403 PH dated 15.10.34 and not Rs.360/- per annum as shown in the President's, District Board, letter dated 3.6.40.

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P. Srinivasa Rao
Principal.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department.

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C.No 25095. From the P.D.B, South Kanara Ref. No. 3160/39-A-4 dt 3.6.40

End of the S.G. R.No 9714 Hosp dt 18.6.40

Order

Not approved

The Govt have no objection to the proposal of the South Kanara Dt Bd to open and maintain a rural Ayurvedic dispensary at Subramanya from its funds with the aid of a contribution from the authorities of the temple at the place.

2. The P.D.B, South Kanara is informed that with reference to para 5 of Go. No 2403 P.H dt 15.10.34, an A.L.I.M or L.I.M appointed to be incharge of the rural dispensary should be paid a

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minimum subsidy of Rs 500 per annum.

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To

The P.D.B. South Kanara

P. I. M. S.

Exr of L. F. Acots

Attention is solicited to the remarks of the L.A. Deptt: on p. 2 n/f. in l/f. above, regarding the unsatisfactory condition of the finances of the South Kanara Dt. Board. In view of their remarks, the Dt. Bd may be asked to defer the opening of the revised dispensary at Subramanya. A (revised) draft order is placed below for approval.

(Relates to opening of a dispensary at Subramanya)

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disposed of in G.O. No 5124 P.H. 31-10-40

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C.no-25095 From the PDO S.Kanara,

Ref. no 3160/34-A4. dt 30.6.60

Endt. of the S.G. Roc 9714 Hospls. dt 18.6.60.

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Order 3961 Pth dt 29.8.60.

The PDO S.Kanara is informed that as the financial position of the District Board is not satisfactory, the opening of a rural dispensary at Subramanya should be deferred

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The PDO S.Kanara

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